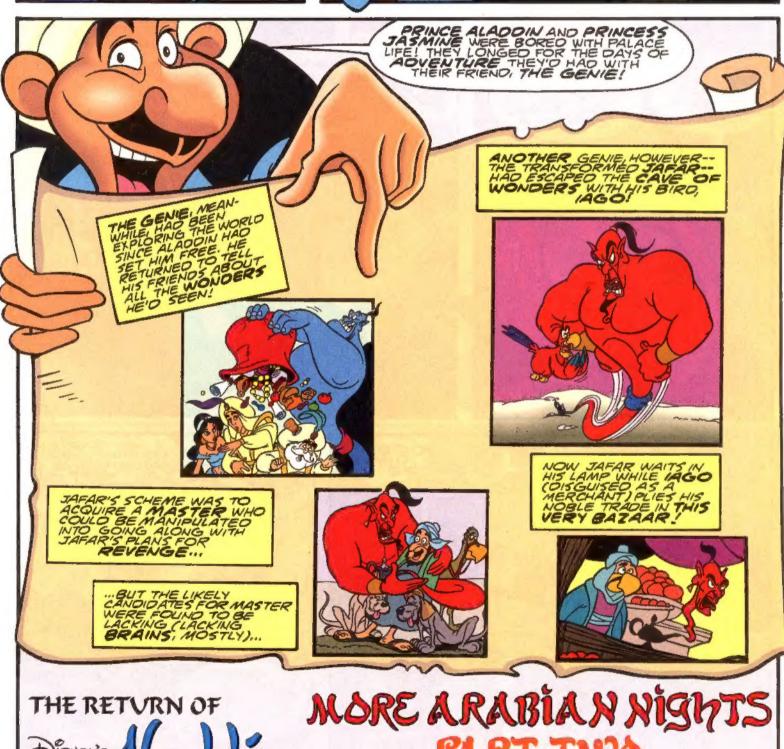




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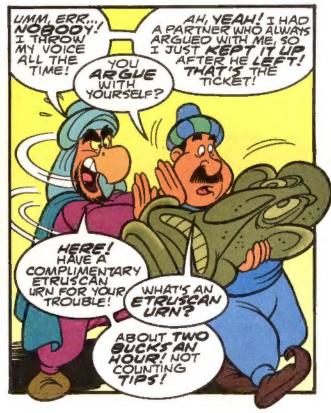














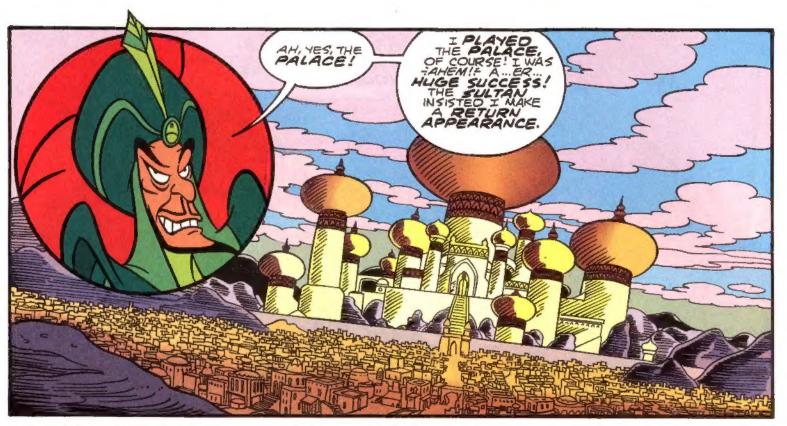


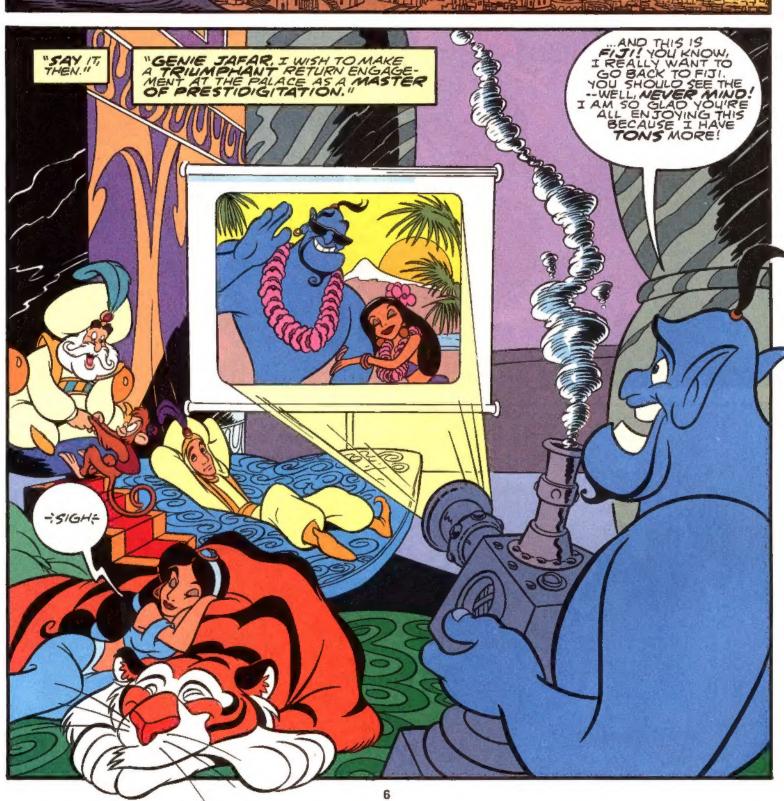














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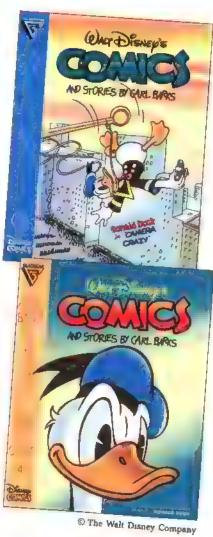
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## WHO ARE THESE PEOPLE?

Who makes comic books?

I'm always interested in the people who make our stories and art. We grizzled old geezers who remember Disney Comics' first issues may recall that some of them had short summaries of the contributors' careers. So let's do it again.

John Blair Moore, for example, has been a cartoonist for years. I first saw his work in 1982, when I was editing comic strips for a newspaper syndicate. Later, he wrote and drew his own comic-book series, Invaders from Home! He then started writing and drawing for Disney, working on such publications as the Aladdin two-issue mini-series and Disney Adventures.

William Van Horn has done his own comic books (Nervous Rex, Ambrose) and children's books. A former animator, he started doing Duck stories for Gladstone in 1988. These days, his work is in Donald Duck Adventures #37. He'll also appear in #38 and contributes the cover to Walt Disney's Comics and Stories #585.

Don Rosa, whose work is also in Donald #37 and who contributes covers to Donald and Uncle Scrooge, has been an engineer and ran his family's building business. Like William Van Horn, Don's worked for Gladstone and done his own comic book, Don Rosa's Comics and Stories.

Bob Foster, our cover layout artist and former managing editor, was at Disney a good decade before Disney Comics started up. He too has done his own comics, such as Myron Moose. Bob also did an entire, very funny book called The Evolution and History of Moosekind. Bob's worked with cartoon characters in many media, from animation to comic strips to children's books and beyond.

Bobbi Weiss, who wrote the Aladdin graphic novel and has contributed stories to Dinosaurs and Disney Adventures, is different from the others listed above. She's the only one who hasn't written and drawn her own comic-book series. She's the only one married to a former Disney Comics editor, the fine writer, letterer and Renaissance Guy David Cody Weiss. And she's the only one who worked at Witt/Thomas/Harris Productions (The Golden Girls) when she started writing for us.

Me? Glad you asked. I was rocketed to Earth from a doomed planet and adopted by a kindly couple in the Midwest.

See you next month.

David Seidman Senior Editor

#### ON SALE THIS MONTH

It's our third anniversary, and we're celebrating with tales by three of our most popular cartoonists: Carl Barks, William Van Horn and Don Rosa!

DONALD DUCK ADVENTURES #37 All three Duck masters are in this one which includes two new stories!

"The Duck Who Fell to Earth"

An all-new adventure by fan favorite Don Rosal Donald and Scrooge rocket into space to salvage obsolete satellites. When trouble strikes their ship, they all plummet to Earth in a streak of flame!

Story and Art by Don Rosa

"Balms Away"

The first **all-new** fit of hilarity in more than a year by *William Van Horn*, the star of our first 20 Issues! Donald calms down in order to join a lodge of serene men. When the members try to provoke Donald's ire, watch out!

Story and Art by William Van Horn

PLUS two Duck shorts written and drawn by Carl Barks:

"Beans"

Donald guesses the number of beans in a jar.

"Play Ball!"

Donald picks out a vacant lot where his nephews can play baseball.

WALTDISNEY'S COMICS AND STORIES #584

Donald Duck and "The Easter Parade"

Donald Duck and Gladstone Gander compete for Grand Marshall of the Easter Parade. Can Donald's determination defeat Gladstone's infernal luck?

Story and Art by Carl Barks

Mickey Mouse is "A Lad 'n' His Lamp"

With Aladdin one of the biggest hits in the country, we dove into the archives for this tale of Mickey Mouse as Aladdin and Goofy as the Geniel Gawrsh!

Story by Vic Lockman
Cover by Jim Franzen and
Bruce Patterson

#### **UNCLE SCROOGE #279**

'Back to Long Ago"

A long—and terrific—Carl Barks adventure. When Uncle Scrooge and Donald Duck discover their past lives, it leads to an ancient treasure in the Caribbean. Scrooge will have it all for himself—unless Donald can get there first!

Story and Art by Carl Barks Cover by Don Rosa **ALADDIN #2** 

"More Arabian Nights" - Part 2

Jafar--now transformed into a genie and held prisoner in a lamp--seeks a pliable master he can manipulate in his plot to gain revenge against Aladdin, Jasmine, and the Sultan! All your favorites from the film are here, especially that bubbling-over Geniel

Story by John Blair Moore
Art by the Jaime Diaz Studios

#### **COLOSSAL COMICS COLLECTION #10**

A <u>new</u> feature story, the first one not based on a cartoon, joins our TV-based anthology: Dinosaurs! Plus stories of our regular stars: *Darkwing Duck, Goof Troop, Sebastian*, and more!

Stories and Art by: all sorts of Incredibly talented people

#### **DISNEY ADVENTURES #31**

Bonkers in "Brain Man" – He's Bonkers! And it's alive! Bonkers D. Bobcat makes his Disney Adventures premiere, as he must deliver a brain to Dr. Lizzardstein for a certain insane experiment.

Story by Kevin Campbell
Art by Massaroll & Barbero
Painted by Sam Parsons

Darkwing Duck in "Super Union Blues, Part 2" – It's Darkwing and Gizmoduck against Steelbeak, F.O.W.L., and Mr. Wonderful, in the hilarious conclusion to this tale of super powers gone awry.

Story by **Doug Gray** Pencils by **Quartieri** Inks by **Bat** 

Roger Rabbit in "Razing Arizona" — Roger's become a singer for a new role, but his music is anything but soothing to the Maestro. It's a battle of the 'toon tenors with no quarter asked nor given!

Story by Doug Murray Art by John Costanza and Dave Hunt

Plus... MARSU, GOOF TROOP, and TALESPIN.

#### STILL ON SALE - DINOSAURS #2

This 48-page second issue includes: "Invasion of the Dino-Snatchers"

Aliens take the place of the Sinclairs, and the only one who notices is Babyl "Frannie, I Blew Up the Babyl"

Baby gets big—real big—and Mr. Richfield gets so mad he fires Earl. "The Pest Years of Our Lives"

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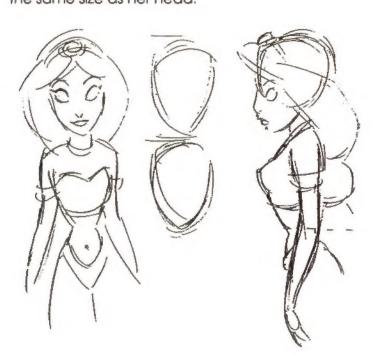
Last issue, we showed you the model sheets that Disney's artists used in drawing Aladdin. Now it's time for Jasmine.

#### **BASIC DESIGN**

Overall height: 5 1/2 heads tall.

#### The elbow falls at her waist line.

Her chest is approximately the same size as her head.



Overall shape of arm.



Once you've got the shape right, add definition to the arm.

#### JASMINE'S HEAD

Her eyes should have a gentle slant, a "cat eye" look. The top of her eye has a flatter curve than the bottom.





The bottom of her eye has a bigger, "rounder" curve.





Her eyes are about one eye width apart.

#### **CREDITS**

"More Arabian Nights,"
Part Two
Story by John Blair
Moore and John Drake
Art by The Jaime Diaz
Studios
Lettering by John
Workman
Coloring by Janice
Parker Cohen

#### Cover

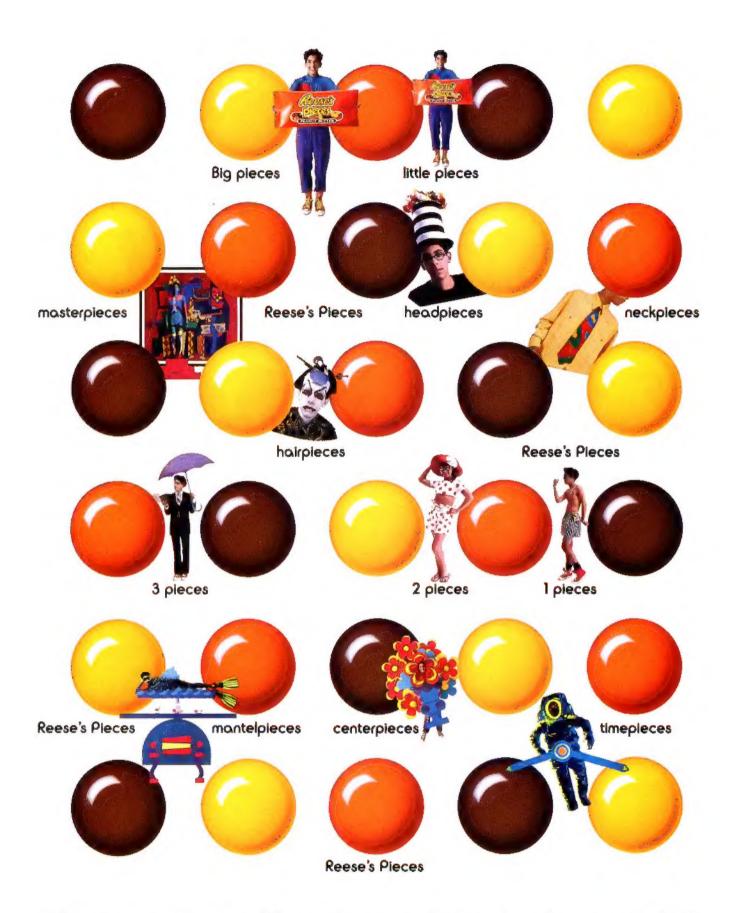
Pencilled by John Ott and Phil Ortiz Inked by John Ott Colored by Gaff

Special thanks to Phil Ortiz, June Fujimoto, and Laureen Burger for character keying. Special thanks to Lee Nordling, Floyd Norman, and Russell Schroeder for script assistance.

Edited by Cris Palomino and Carl Gafford

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